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## Proclamation

Governor Schwarzenegger Signs State of Emergency for Eleven Counties

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

STATE OF CALIFORNIA



### PROCLAMATION by the Governor of the State of California

I, ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER, Governor of the State of California, find that conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property exist within the counties of Alameda, Alpine, Amador, Colusa, Contra Costa, Fresno, Kings, San Luis Obispo, Santa Cruz, Shasta, and Tulare, as a result of a series of severe rainstorms that commenced on December 19, 2005. The series of storms brought unusually heavy rains that caused flooding, mudslides, the accumulation of debris, washed out and damaged roads, and the loss of human life. The demands of the storm exceed the capabilities, services, personnel, equipment, and facilities of these counties. Under the authority of the California Emergency Services Act, set forth at Title 2, Division 1, Chapter 7 of the California Government Code, commencing with section 8550, I hereby proclaim that a State of Emergency exists within the counties of Alameda, Alpine, Amador, Colusa, Contra Costa, Fresno, Kings, San Luis Obispo, Santa Cruz, Shasta, and Tulare.

Pursuant to this proclamation, I hereby direct all agencies of the state government to utilize and employ state personnel, equipment, and facilities for the performance of any and all necessary activities to alleviate this emergency as directed by my Office of Emergency Services and in accordance with the State Emergency Plan. I direct the implementation of standing orders numbers one and three to ensure adequate state staffing to expedite disaster response and recovery efforts.

I FURTHER DIRECT that as soon as hereafter possible, this proclamation be filed in the Office of the Secretary of State and that widespread publicity and notice be given of this proclamation.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have here unto set my hand  
and caused the Great Seal of the State of California to be  
affixed this the twelfth day of January 2006.

/s/ Arnold Schwarzenegger

Governor of California

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